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In response to the Office Action mailed September 13, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-referenced U.S. Patent application in light of the following.

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